(c) the details of the entire schedule of training;

(d) whether it is a fact that 350 days of flights are still required to give final operational clearance to AJTs; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE): (a) to (e) There is no training being imparted to trainers on the Intermediate Jet Trainers. However, the Indian Air Force (lAF) has entered into a contract with British Aerospace Systems of United Kingdom (UK), for training of 75 lAF pilots on the Hawk Advanced Jet Trainer (AJT) aircraft at the Royal Air Force (RAF) Valley, UK.

The training of lAF pilots on the Hawk AJT is progressing as per schedule. The Hawk AJT training includes 12 courses with 6 to 8 lAF trainees in each course. Each training course is of a duration of 45 weeks.

There is no final operational clearance required for the AJT as per the contract signed with M/s British Aerospace Systems.

Decline in- incidents of Infiltration in J & K

† 3020. SHRIMATI MAYA SINGH: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Army Chief has recently stated that there is a decline in the number of incidents of infiltration into Jammu and Kashmir from Pakistan, and Pakistani army are not aware of whatever sporadic incidents are taking place;

(b) if so, Government's reaction thereto; and

(c) the year-wise details of incidents of infiltration during last three years?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE): (a) to (c) The Chief of Army Staff (COAS), in one of the media interactions has recently stated that the Indian Army are telling Pakistan Director General Military Operations (DGMO) repeatedly that infiltration is on the increase. However, Pakistan has denied involvement of their troops in abetting infiltration.

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

Reports indicate that the logistic infrastructure of the terrorist training camps inside Pakistan and in Pakistan occupied Kashmir still remains intact. Further, it was observed that there was a reduction in the number of infiltration,attempts from across the border in the initial five months of 2005. However, there has been an increase in cross border infiltration during June and July 2005.

The details of infiltration attempts intercepted by the Army on the Line of Control (LoC) and assessed infiltration in the State of Jammu and Kashmir are as under:

Year	Infiltration Attempts intercepted	Assessed infiltration
2002	85	1395
2003	98	1373
2004	68	349
2005 (January-July 2005)	37	91 (January-June 2005)

Ceasefire agreement with Pakistan

3021. PROF. ALKA BALRAM KSHATRIYA: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a), whether Government have reached an agreement with the Government of Pakistan for a temporary ceasefire along the military line;

(b) if so, the details of the agreement reached;

(c) whether the agreement shall cease after a limited period of time; and

(d) if so, by when and the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE): (a) to (d) A ceasefire has been in force with Pakistan since the midnight of 25th November 2003 along the International Border (IB), Line of Control (LoC) and Actual Ground Position Line (AGPL). Both the sides are committed to uphold the ceasefire.